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JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

POSITION: 2017 Summer Intern (June through August 2017)

LOCATION: Denver, CO

BACKGROUND: The Migrant Division of Colorado Legal Services (CLS) is a

statewide division that provides legal representation to migrant farm

workers. We litigate cases in the federal and state courts as well

as perform administrative advocacy involving the working conditions of farm workers (e.g., wages, pesticides, workers' compensation and human trafficking), immigration law cases, as well as cases occasionally related to housing, benefits or civil rights. We also have a comprehensive community education program that involves outreach to workers at labor camps and working with community-based groups. The client community is comprised primarily of Latino migrant & seasonal farm workers.

DUTIES: Duties of interns will include outreach to labor camps throughout

the state; intake and interviewing; informal advocacy on behalf of workers concerning wages, working conditions (including human trafficking), housing and immigration. Interns will also assist with

legal research and writing related to current litigation.

QUALIFICATIONS: Students who have completed their first year of graduate school

program or undergraduate degree. Must be diligent and have dedication and sensitivity to serving the legal needs of migrant farm workers. **Spanish speaking required**. Must be willing to work at

night and travel within Colorado.

COMPENSATION: This is an unpaid volunteer internship. We are happy to

cooperate with interns to secure funding or credit. All travel and mileage expenses incurred during work will be reimbursed.

HOW TO APPLY: Please mail or email cover letter, resume, transcripts and list of

three references to:

MFWD Intern Program / Attn: Amy Wood Ocaña

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Colorado Legal Services is an equal opportunity employer. Applications will be considered on a rolling basis through February 28, 2017.

